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13	INC., a California corporation; WARNER	Honorable Maria-Elena James
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15	California limited liability company; SONY BMG MUSIC ENTERTAINMENT, a Delaware	CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE AND [ <del>PROPOSED</del> ] ORDER
16	general partnership; and BMG MUSIC, a New	
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Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Court continue the case management conference currently set for December 27, 2007, at 10:00 a.m. to March 27, 2008.

Plaintiffs filed the Complaint against Defendant John Doe ("Defendant") on September 20, 2007. Also on September 20, 2007, Plaintiffs filed their *Ex Parte* Application for Leave to Take Immediate Discovery seeking the Court's permission to serve a Rule 45 subpoena on University of San Francisco, so that Plaintiffs could obtain information sufficient to identify Defendant. On October 4, 2007, this Court issued its Order Granting Plaintiffs' *Ex Parte* Application for Leave to Take Immediate Discovery authorizing Plaintiffs to serve a Rule 45 subpoena on University of San Francisco. On November 30, 2007, University of San Francisco responded to Plaintiffs' subpoena, providing Plaintiffs with identifying information including Defendant's name and contact information.

Now that Plaintiffs know Defendant's identity, and in hopes of avoiding further litigation, Plaintiffs have sent a letter to Defendant asking her to contact Plaintiffs regarding possible settlement of this matter. If the parties do not reach a settlement, Plaintiffs will file an amended complaint naming Defendant personally.

Given the foregoing circumstances, and because there is not yet a named defendant in this case, a case management conference is unnecessary at this time. Plaintiffs therefore request that the Court continue the case management conference currently set for December 27, 2007, at 10:00 a.m. to March 27, 2008.

By:

/s/ Matthew Franklin Jaksa

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Dated: December 14, 2007 HOLME ROBERTS & OWEN LLP

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## **ORDER**

Good cause having been shown:

IT IS ORDERED that the case management conference currently set for December 27,

2007, at 10:00 a.m. be continued to March 27, 2008.

Dated: December 17, 2007

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